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Title of application: DISCOVERY OF PHONES ON A NETWORK, SUCH AS A LAN

Pages of specification:  $\underline{16}$  (including  $\underline{4}$  pps. of claims [1-15] and  $\underline{1}$  page of abstract)

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XX Declaration and Power of Attorney (6 pages);

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Submission of Priority Document and a certified copy of a United Kingdom patent application or inventor's certificate, filed April 7, 2000 and serial no. 0008671.0, upon which a claim to priority is made.

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